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**AMENDMENT**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 8, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 5 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

**An Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following the signature page of this paper.